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SUBJECT: ONTARIO HYDRO BEGINS NEW NUCLEAR STATION

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1. ONTARIO ENERGY MINISTER TAYLOR ANNOUNCED JULY 18 THAT ONTARIO HYDRO HAS BEEN GIVEN PERMISSION TO BUILD ITS PLANNED NUCLEAR POWER STATION AT DARLINGTON, ONTARIO (NEAR OSHAWA) AND THAT MAJOR TENDERS FOR DOLS 3.5 BILLION N PROJECT WILL BE ISSUED WITHIN A WEEK. PREPARATION OF THE 1200 ACRE SITE WILL BEGIN IMMEDIATELY AND THE PLANT IS EXPECTED TO GO INTO OPERATION IN 1917 WHEN THE FIRST OF FOUR REACTORS GOES CRITICAL. THE REMAINING THREE UNITS ARE SCHEDULED TO COME ON STREAM AT THE RATE OF ONE A YEAR, 1.86 THROUGH 1988.

2. IN MAKING ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPROVAL, ONTARIO MINISTER STRESSED THAT PROJECT WOULD MEAN PEAK WORK-FORCE ON SITE OF 3700 IN 1984, AN ADDITIONAL 14,000 RELATED JOBS ACROSS ONTARIO AND 500 HYDRO EMPLOYEES AT THE STATION
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WHEN THE PLANT IS FULLY OPERATIONAL.

3. THE DARLINGTON STATION WILL BE THE LAST IN ONTARIO NOT AUTOMATICALLY SUBJECT TO REVIEW UNDER THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT ACT. THE GREENPEACE FOUNDATION HAS ALREADY EXPRESSED CONCERN REGARDING THE LACK OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STUDY AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF "ANOTHER JOB

SITE FOR TERRORIST ATTACK." GREENPEACE IS EXPECTED
TO ENGAGE IN A SERIES OF NON-VILENT DEMONSTRATIONS
WITH A DEMONSTRATION AT THE STATION SITE IN EARLY
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